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For Sale or Trade

West part of 3 half-acre lots, fronting Nettleton Avenue and back to K.C.O.S. 2 blocks south of the Mansfield Hotel, 4 roomed house, cellar, 2 roomed smoke house, good well in yard, good cistern at end of porch, concrete walks, household goods and fine garden; all goes together, for cash. W. C. McCain, Mansfield, Mo.—advertisement.

Norwood Department

John Baker of Rawlins, Wyoming, is here visiting; he has been gone from here 11 years. G. C. Murrell of Hartsville was in town Monday. C. A. Stephens of Mansfield was in town Saturday. Jno. A. Dennis and family went to Mtn. Grove last week. Rev. G. Chadwell was in Mtn. Grove Monday. W. H. Brake of Macomb, candidate for collector, was in town Monday.

Mrs. J. A. Bradford of Springfield has been visiting here. A child of Will Twobig died at Pomona Friday. The remains were shipped here Saturday morning. Funeral was held at M. E. church at 2 p. m. Saturday after which burial was at Thomas cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hanes of Mountain Grove were here Saturday attending the funeral of Wm. Twobig's child.

H. F. Bruton is thrashing wheat north of town.

H. J. Schofield started his thrasher out Tuesday.

C. H. Jackson of Hartsville was in town Tuesday.

Dr. H. S. Calhoun has bought the Burks property.

J. N. Busby and J. C. Orender made a trip to Kansas City last week where the latter bought a new car, having sold the one he had to Dr. Calhoun.

Obituary

Mrs. Charles Davis, aged 62 years, passed away at 10 o'clock Tuesday morning at her home near Mansfield, death resulting from chronic interstitial nephritis. Rev. Gross conducted the funeral yesterday at Shiloh, some relatives from a distance being present. We join in extending sympathy to the husband and other bereaved ones.

Miss Julia May Behan has returned from her visit with J. C. Orender's at Norwood.

Mining News

The Pioneer Mill has been completed and has been in operation this week and, with good luck, the Pioneer Mining Co. expects to have a car load of ore milled by the last of the week; naturally there are numerous adjustments of various kinds to make and the first days of operation cannot accomplish as much as when everything has been adjusted just right. There is lots of good ore for the Pioneer to mill and work is expected to go ahead rapidly once the mill gets started full blast.

The Red Bird is still milling quantities of good ore, and things look fine for the Mansfield mining district.

The Mansfield Mining & Development Co. has been moving their big drill to the Nebraska Mining & Milling Co. land, adjoining 30 acres of the Pioneer land.

Pleasant Flat

Robert Imhoff and wife regret very much that they were absent when Mr. Shaw and wife called Sunday. Come again and we'll be at home, we hope.

Miss Clara Williams stayed at the Imhoff home with Mr. Imhoff's mother and cared for all the work while they were gone to visit relatives near Denlow.

Blackberries are about gone—the dry weather was very injurious to them.

We are very much pleased with the nice rain Monday and hope it will continue until the ground is well watered. This will save the corn for the present.

We are sorry to hear that Miss Alice Williams is quite sick.

Jesse Preston's spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Mary M. Allen.

Robert Imhoff and wife and Master Ralph visited Mrs. W. H. Givens' near Denlow and Harry Raber's from Saturday to Monday.

Mrs. W. H. Givens expects to leave soon for Skiatook, Okla., where her husband is contracting concrete work. They expect to make that place their home.

H. B. Paul, wife and daughter, Miss Pauline, and Mesdames N. J. Craig and A. J. Wilder attended the Athenian meeting at Hartsville yesterday. The next meeting will be on the 31st, at which time a picnic will be held.

Tersely Told Town Tales

Some good rains this week. Mrs. J. C. Freeman has been sick.

H. H. Lawler is here from Joplin.

Mrs. J. J. Rabey was in Seymour Friday.

J. H. Cameron has returned from Kansas.

E. S. Hatch of Licking was here this week.

Amos Hendricks has returned to Albion, Mich.

Arthur Grantham is home from Picher, Okla.

A. L. Randall's have moved to Sand Springs, Okla.

Charles Schlicher from Macomb was here today.

Mrs. N. F. Gresham of near Hartsville was here today.

W. G. Reynolds unloaded another car of Fords today.

R. S. Jarvis of Golden City was here during the week.

J. P. Anderson came in from Chicago this week in his car.

Mrs. W. F. Drake of Springfield was here during the week.

J. C. Orender's were here from Norwood during the week.

Dr. J. A. Fuson visited his mother this week; she has been sick.

Mrs. J. H. Stephens visited J. C. Orender's at Norwood last week.

C. N. Dunlap, wife and mother of Kansas City were here this week.

E. A. Crippen and daughter, Miss Elva, returned last night from Chester, Ill.

J. H. Stephens of Stephens' Cafe goes to St. Louis today to enlist in the navy.

Prof. Roy Ellis of Springfield has left for Camp Funston, Kas., as part of the draft army.

Mrs. Forrest and son Marshall of Charleston have returned home after a 3 weeks' visit here with relatives.

C. F. Funkhouser and wife of West Plains visited R. R. Reeds, this week going on to Kansas City in their auto.

Rev. Carl Pelegrin of Marshallfield was here and at Hartsville as a special W. S. S. representative of the government.

A. S. Lehr of St. Louis was here and at Ava Saturday in the interest of J. W. Folk's candidacy for the senate.

First Lieutenant Ed. Westbrook is here from Ft. Sill, Okla., to visit home folks. He will give a short talk at the Nugget to night.

Rev. T. J. Gideon of Hartsville was here today to meet his daughter, Mrs. Frank Garner, of Oklahoma City, Okla., who arrived for a visit.

Prof. Zoe Harris of Rolla has completed the survey of the Ozark Highway in the western part of the county and left last night for Norwood.

Henry C. Pendergrass of Memphis, Tenn., is now telegrapher for the Frisco, E. E. Dinger having gone to Cedar Gap where he has the third truck.

G. C. Freeman and wife, Herbert Hensley, Herve Coday, Jasper Craig, Misses Grace Craig, Leona Hoover and Maude Coday visited at the Mays home Saturday night and Sunday.

A. R. Fathman, secretary of the Western Tie and Timber Co. and J. F. Reardon, of St. Louis, were week end guests of H. B. Paul's. They and Mr. Paul also visited Ava and went on to Springfield.

In order to secure more telegraphers and agents on the Government-Controlled Railroad salaries have been greatly increased. Springfield Business College wants 300 men and boys to prepare at once. Situations guaranteed. The Government recognizes the high efficiency of S. B. C. graduates. Write for free catalog. Boys from 16 to 20 and men over 31 should not miss this opportunity.—adv.

Red Cross News

About the first of April the Masons kindly tendered the use of their lodge room to the Red Cross for a work room. This included janitor's service, lights and fuel. This was joyfully accepted by the ladies and has proved a pleasant and convenient location. Shortage of supplies only has hindered us from making a greater output. We have made four shipments. The first shipment was made in February and contained the following articles: Twelve dozen handkerchiefs, seven dozen napkins, two dozen wash rags, 20 pairs socks, nine pairs wristlets, 5 package sculltetus bandages, 2 packages triangular bandages; second shipment in April consisting of 70 four tailed bandages, 25 many tailed bandages, 70 triangular bandages, 72 handkerchiefs, 20 hospital bed shirts, 24 bed socks, 40 comfort bags, comfort bags were contributed by the Eastern Star ladies, 18 operating leggings, 24 napkins, 1 pair socks, eight sweaters; the June shipment contained 60 hospital bed shirts, 14 sweaters, 1 scarf, 1 pair wristlets, eight pair socks, 1 baby's layette, 4 blankets, 8 shirts, 1 cape, 1 jacket, 2 pairs booties, 2 slippers; July shipment, 20 hospital bed socks, 10 hospital bed shirts, 15 sweaters, 20 outing flannel undershirts. This shipment will be made in a few days. Ladies having socks and sweaters finished please turn them in at Mrs. Coday's Millinery Store. We expect to receive our quota of supplies in a few days. This work will have to be done by September 1st. As soon as supplies arrive notice will be given through the paper and by telephone. We will be required to finish the work in a stated time.

Mayor Elected Tuesday

William G. Reynolds on the Independent ticket was the successful candidate for Mayor in Tuesday's election, held to elect a successor to Dr. F. H. Riley, resigned. Webster M. Divan was the People's ticket nominee. The vote was as follows: Reynolds—First ward, 24; second, 39; total 63. Divan—First ward, 12; second, 5; total, 17. In the second ward 1 vote was cast for Dr. R. M. Rogers. There were 81 votes cast, 36 in the first ward and 45 in the second.

T. B. Bell, T. J. Rippee and Wm. Fuge acted as judges and clerks for the first ward, the polling place being Avery and Stephens' office. In the second ward, the polling place was Ward B. Hitchcock's office, with J. H. P'Pool and A. M. P'Pool as judges and clerks.

I desire to thank the people of Mansfield for their vote for me for mayor and for the evidence of the confidence they have in me. I promise to endeavor to serve all to the very best of my ability.

William G. Reynolds.

To the Public

To whom it may concern: As I have been requested to withdraw from the race for Representative by several of the leading Republicans of Pleasant Valley and Gasconade townships, I hereby withdraw. To those to whom this will prove a disappointment, I hope I have not forfeited your respect in a social or business way. Yours respectfully, Alex Salisbury.

E. F. Stanton of Bryant was here yesterday to meet his sister Mrs. Nora Glenn, of Mountain Grove who will visit at Alwanda Farms for two or three days before departing for Oregon, where she has another sister.

Frank Dennis is here from Chitwood on account of the draft examination.

With the Colors

The following boys from Wright county are to leave next Thursday:

Logan Ray Hensley, Mansfield; Ray E. Rhodes, Mtn. Grove; Joseph E. Simmons, Origana; Clarence A. Phelps, Mtn. Grove; Walter Ballard, Grovespring; Marvin Miller, Mansfield; James N. Carnwell, Mtn. Grove; John Austin Bacon, Ponca, Neb; Clarence A. Rowen Vaughn, Norwood.

Fred Delcours, Manes; Kirk Buttram, Grovespring; Sherman Oliphant, Rayborn; Clarence Hurt, Norwood; James Evans Reeve, Manes; Evan Dee Gaskill, Mansfield; Thomas Sluder, Mtn. Grove; Harry Marshall Thomas, Norwood.

Charles Hayward Frye, Mansfield; Fred L. Henderson, Mansfield; Verdie D. Foster, Hartville; James M. Branstetter, Hartville.

Lewis Paul Wood, Hartville; Calvin Clark Price, Hartville; Oscar Radford Headley, Manes; Lee Smittle, Grovespring; Henry Snow, Origana; Everett Woolard, Manes; Roy T. Hake, Hartville; Hosea Dallas Wood, Hartville; Charley Rogers, Manes; James R. Claus, Columbia; Andrew Goss, Cedar Gap; Lonnie Floyd Davis, Grovespring.

Aultie Edward Coxen, Hartville; Orlando Carl Tripp, Mansfield; Jesse Elmer Davis, Hartville; Finis Glee Clark, St. George; Virgil Tipton Pearman, Hartville.

Gabe Scott, Mountain Grove; Earl Absher, Norwood; Mose Newton, Mansfield; Jerry M. Jones, Grovespring; Leo Ellis, Mountain Grove; Charles E. Shores, Norwood; John Fred Morris, Cedar Gap; Charles W. Alexander, Norwood; John Lawrence Brasher, Mansfield.

James Lawson, Rayborn; William A. Harris, Mtn. Grove; Edward C. Lefter, Mtn. Grove; Ira Lathrom, Rayborn; Jackson D. Hopkins, Rayborn; Henry H. Atkinson, Mtn. Grove; Clifford Rhodes, Mtn. Grove; Jesse Eugene Leach, Dawson; Fred M. Hamilton, Grovespring; Enoch Odle, Grovespring; Ira Eli Rippee, Mansfield; William C. Long, Manes; Edward Harold P'Pool, Mansfield.

Archie Butcher, Mtn. Grove; Volney M. McLaren, Macomb; Floyd Franklin Hale, Mansfield; Raymond D. Helsley, Norwood; Oscar Hyde, Mountain Grove; Joe Kendrick, Grovespring; Walter Henry Ippock, Seymour; Charles McIntosh, Macomb; John Partyn Ippock, Seymour; Claud N. Howell, Grovespring; Oliver McMurty, Mtn. Grove; John F. Reukauf, Hartville; Isaac W. Pitts, Grovespring; Everett Pyatt, Hartville; John F. Holden, Mtn. Grove; Arvel Alex Hefner, Hartville; Walter E. Lyons, Mtn. Grove; Roscoe Hensley, Mansfield; Jesse Allen Young, Hartville; Ove Elijah Baker, Hartville; Jesse Brazeal, Mansfield; Jerry Quint Lawson, Mountain Grove.

O. B. Whitaker of Weaubleau was here today looking after his land interests near here. He owns the farm occupied by Alex Salisbury. He is the present Representative from Hickory county in the state legislature and is a candidate for re-election with no opposition. He is the author of the law abolishing capital punishment in Missouri. His father, when a member of the legislature, wrote the bill making life imprisonment or capital punishment optional with the jury, as at that time it did not seem possible to pass a law abolishing capital punishment. While here Mr. Whitaker enrolled as a Mirror subscriber.

Oil Investments !

Do Your Oil Investments Pay? If Not There is a Good Reason.

If you have purchased oil stocks, which are not paying and you wish any information relative to the company, its holdings or possibilities; if you will give us the name of the company, its home address and its officers and directors, we will investigate and give you our candid opinion. We sell and buy odd lots of oil stock for our clients on a broker's basis. If we offer a large block of stock we must individually be convinced of the merits of the proposition, or we will not submit it to the public.

Refiner's Petroleum Company.

We have a block of this stock for sale in amounts ranging from twenty five shares up, subject to prior sale, and will gladly furnish a booklet which gives you a complete and concise report on the company's refinery, as well as its oil leases. This stock is now earning profits and individual assets have been escrowed in a Kansas City bank guaranteeing a minimum rate of 12 per cent per annum, payable quarterly. Get our booklet. It will only cost you a 3 cent stamp to make an investigation.

Lexington Oil Corporation.

This company is incorporated under the laws of Missouri, has met with the blue sky requirements of the state of Missouri and is offering a small block of stock to complete the funds for drilling their first well.

The drilling contractors on this well, Rhinehart & Gore of Eldorado, Kansas, are now at work on the property and have accepted \$7,000.00 worth of the capital stock of the company in part payment for the drilling of this well. What better evidence could you ask of the desirability of this property.

This company is managed by bankers and business men of Lexington, Mo., and is only capitalized at \$100,000. Their acreage is located in the very heart of a producing district, and would be termed proven or semi proven acreage by any one visiting the property. This stock is now selling at \$1.00 par and we gladly will furnish detail information upon request.

Cardey Royalty Units.

We have a limited number of units representing an undivided interest in and to the fee royalty upon the famous Cardey lease, which offsets the Shumway on the south.

We can sell you these units today at \$110 each, and the present earning power is sufficient to pay you around 30 per cent per annum on this price.

This lease is only half drilled out, and future wells will increase this earning power considerably. It is an investment without a grief or headache. Write us for full particulars.

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At the M. E. Church

Owing to the fact that Rev. G. W. Holmes, the pastor, is in the Burge Deaconess Hospital at Springfield and will probably still be there next Sunday, the service flag dedicatory service announced for next Sunday at the M. E. church will be postponed to a date to be announced later.

Frisco passenger train No. 103

was wrecked last night near Mammoth Spring, Ark. The wrecker from Springfield went through here this morning. Traffic has been delayed today on account of the wreck.

C. F. DuBois and E. L. Hartman and families of Thayer were here this week, traveling by auto.

Stephens Cafe J. H. Stephens Proprietor
Buy War Savings Stamps
Headquarters for mining men
Merchants' Lunch 35c
Regular meals 50c Good Rooms
Short Orders at All Hours
Cigars and Tobacco
Candies Lunch Goods
Soda Fountain Refreshing Drinks

You Must Be Careful
Accidents will occur. When they do, you must be sure to dress the wounds carefully. Not to do so may mean blood poison and death. We carry a full line of first aid supplies, such as
Bandages Adhesive Plaster
Peroxide of Hydrogen Liniment
Disinfectants Medicated Cotton
All of them simple, effective helps which you should keep on hand for emergencies in your home
FUSON DRUG CO.

W. T. NORCROSS

Has moved his stock of General Merchandise to the building one door west of his former location, at one time occupied by Edwards' Cash Store. Make this your headquarters—plenty of room now. Shoes, Groceries, Hats, Dry Goods. Optical Goods. Eyes Fitted

At The NUGGET TO-NIGHT

"The Flaming Omen"
Mary Anderson and Alfred Whitman

SATURDAY Afternoon and Night
"The Fighting Trail"
14th Episode, and two comics

Thursday, July 25th, 1918
The Other Man
Harry Morey and Grace Darmond

Admission 10c & 15c & War Tax